

FIG. 1

(system diagram)

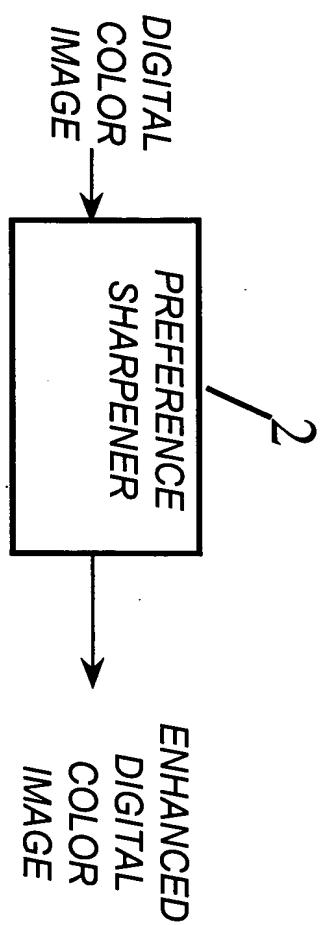


FIG. 2

(system diagram)

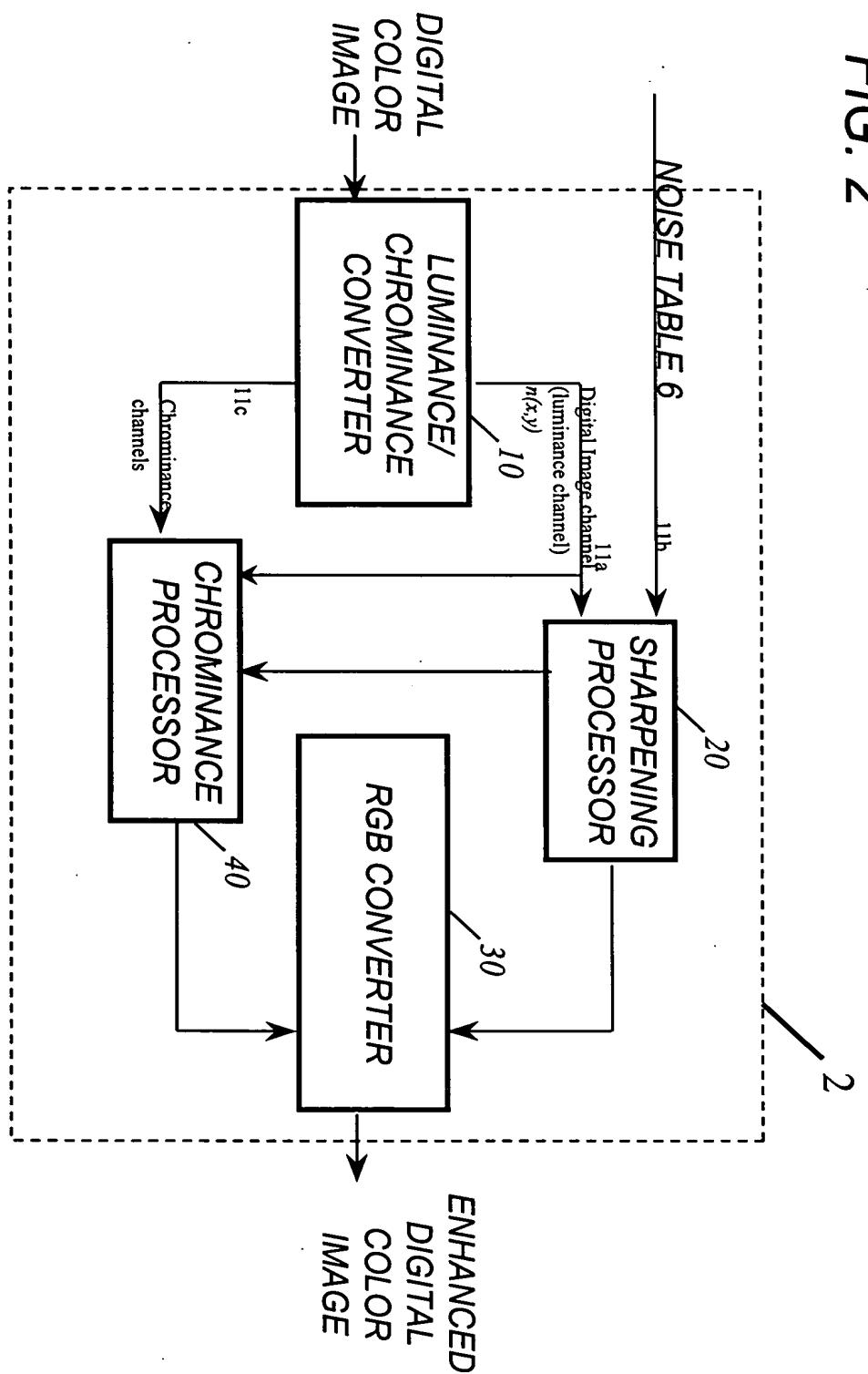
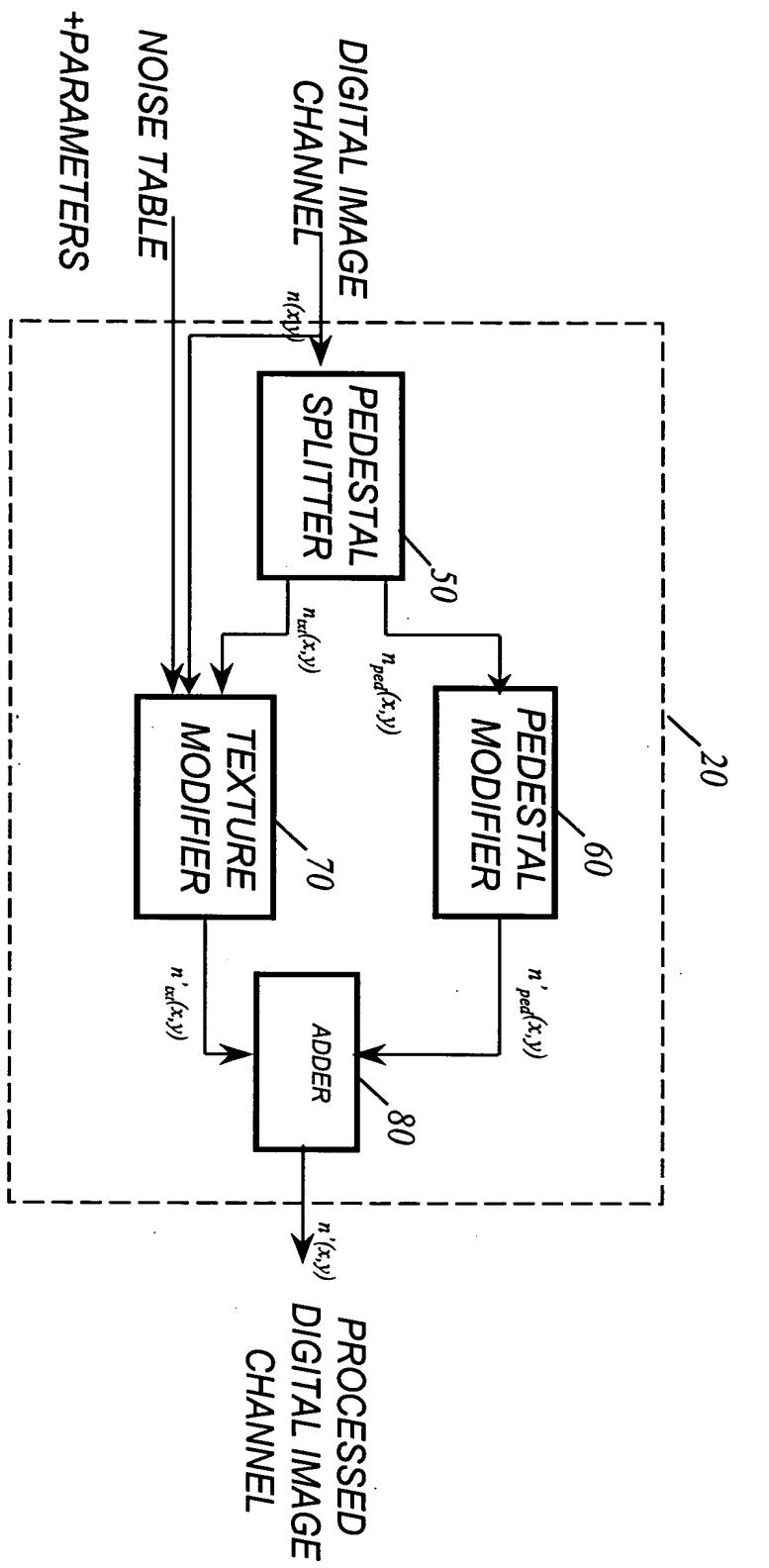
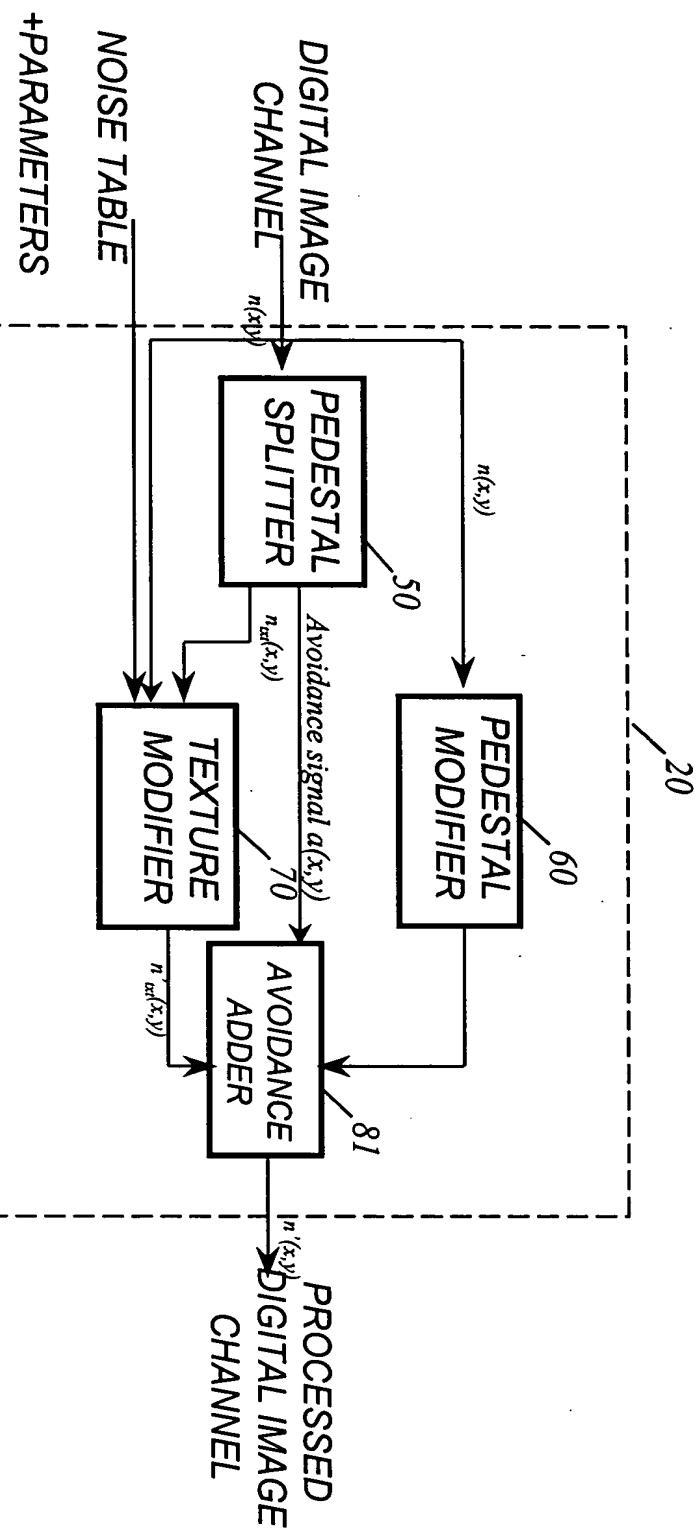


FIG. 3
(sharpening processor 20)



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FIG. 4



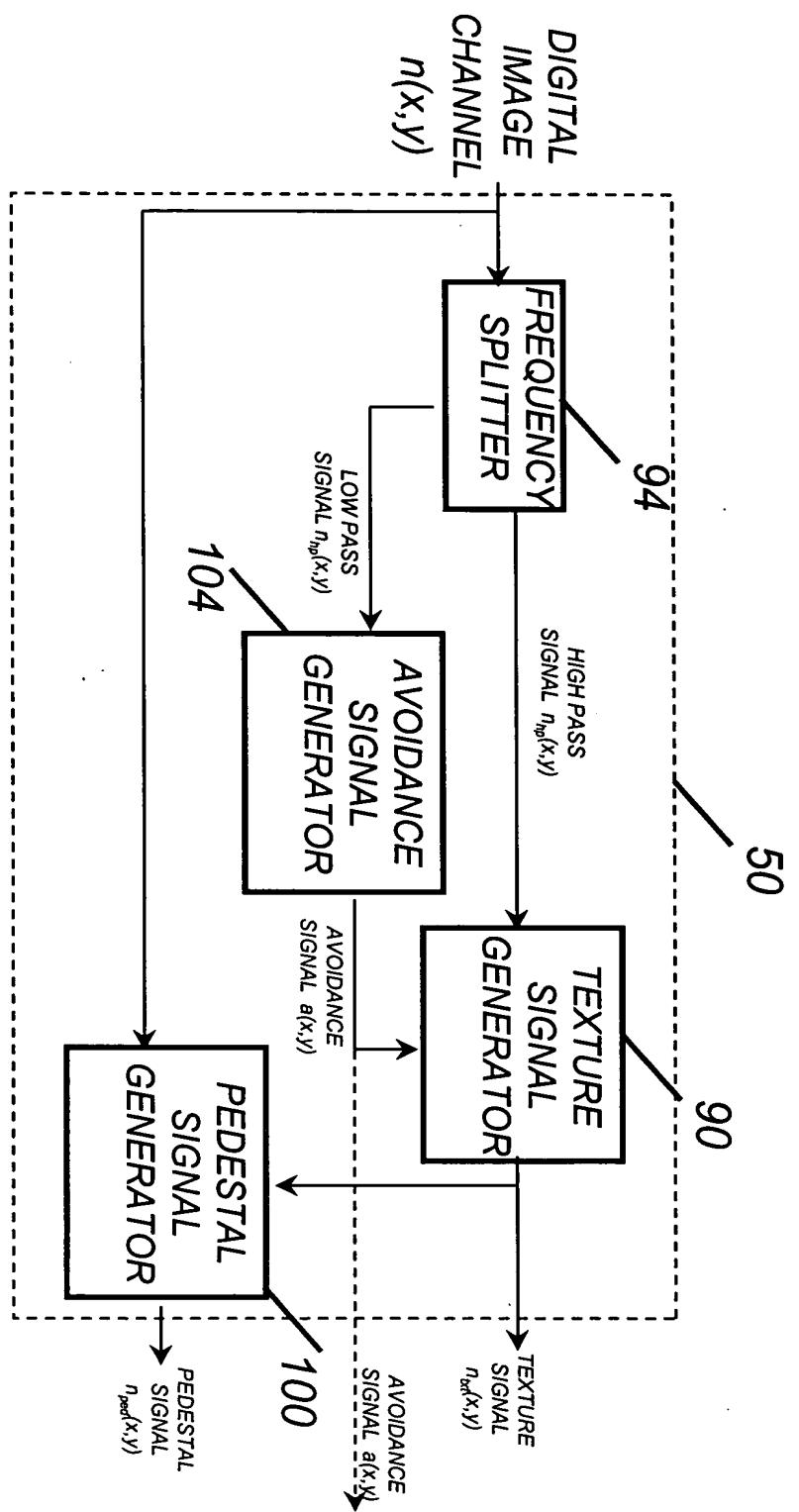


FIG. 5A
(ALTERNATIVE EMBODIMENT OF
THE PEDESTAL SPLITTER)

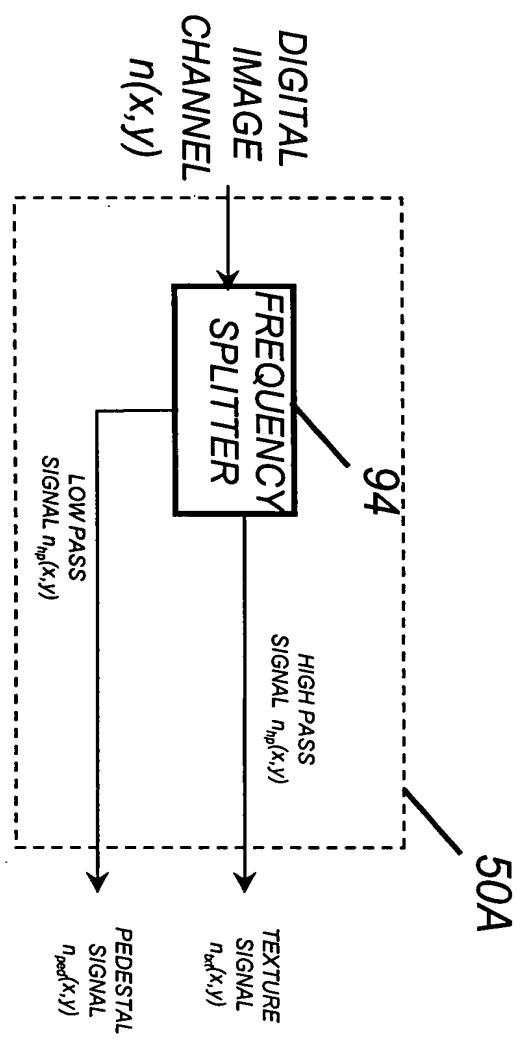
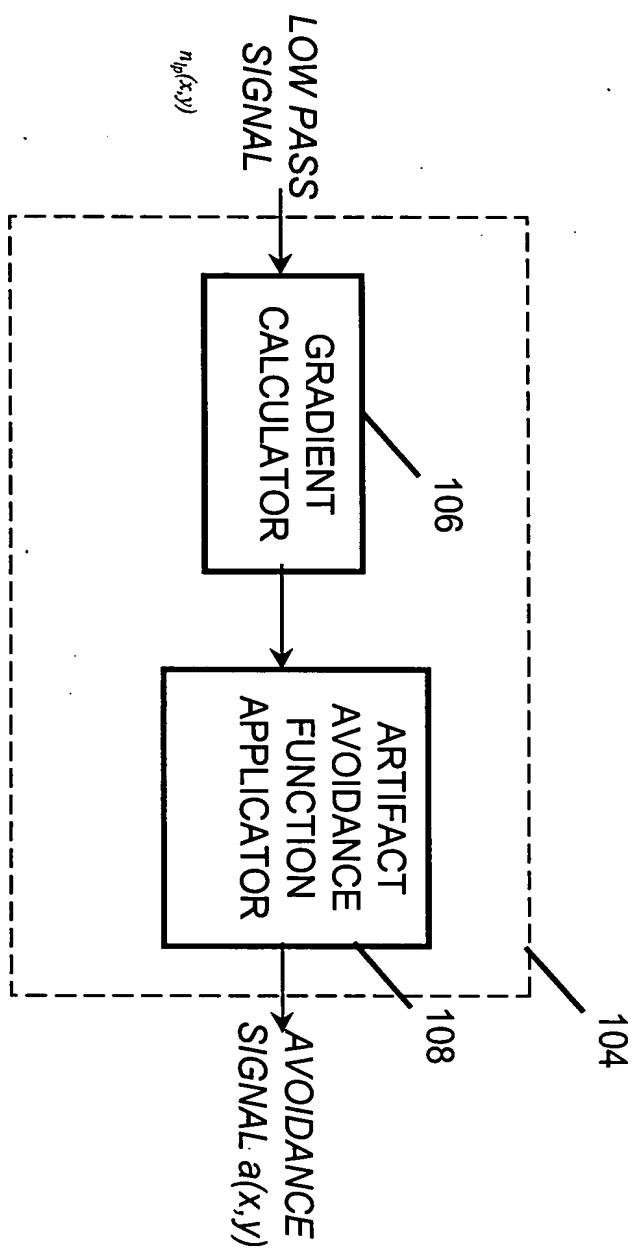
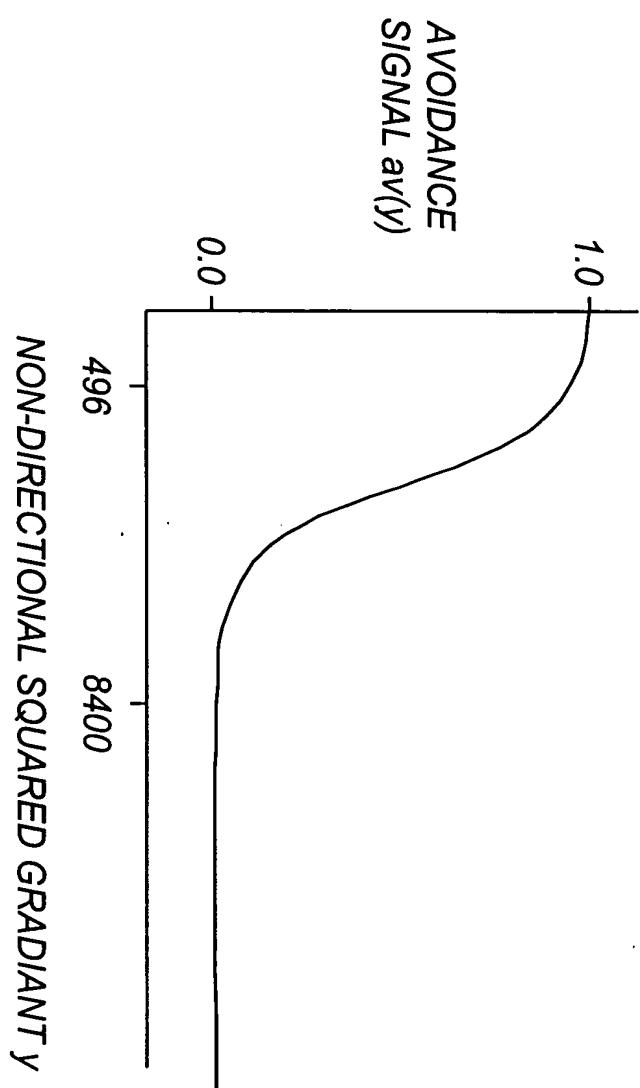


FIG. 6 (AVOIDANCE SIGNAL GENERATOR)



(ARTIFACT AVOIDANCE FUNCTION)

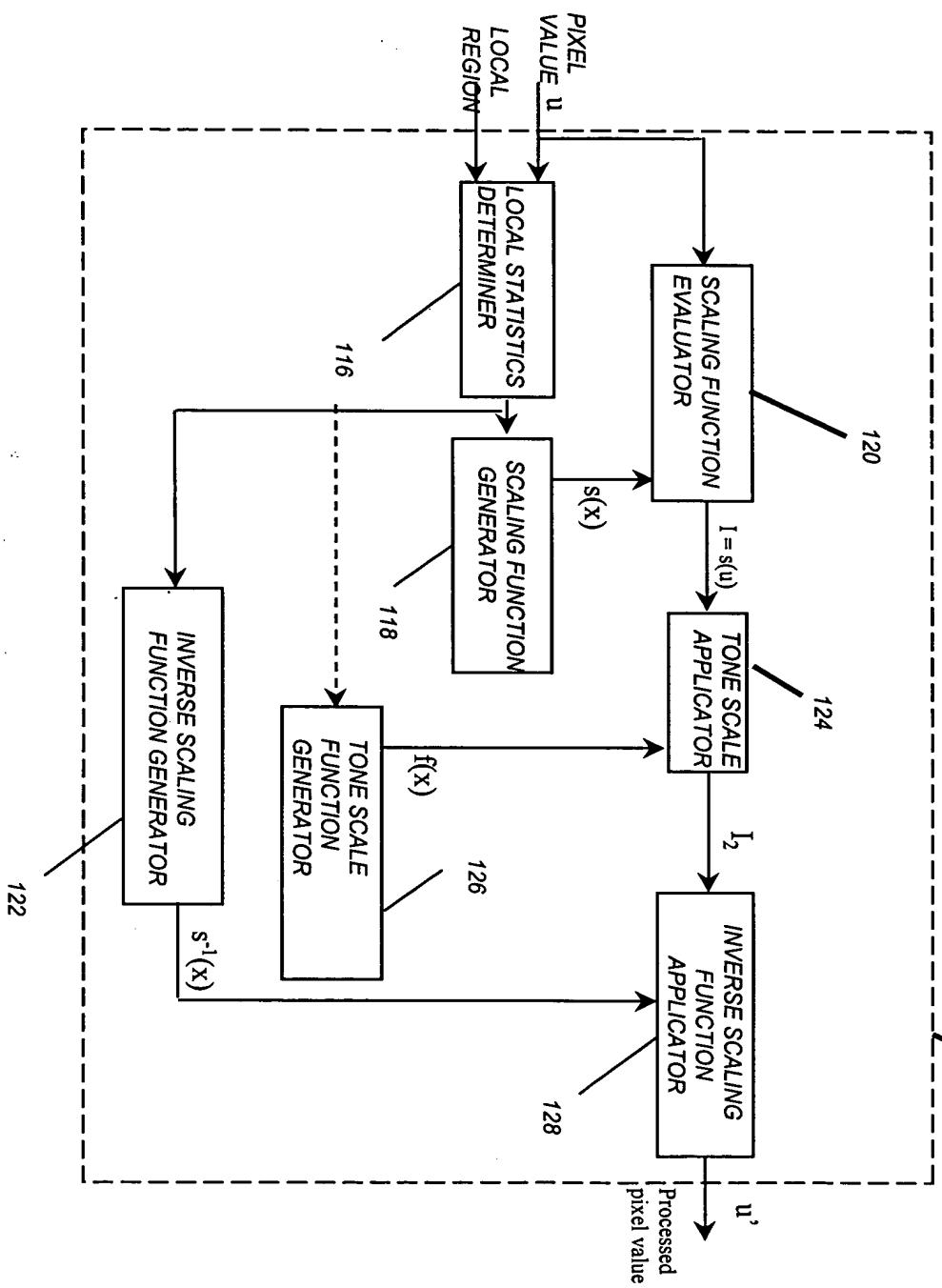
FIG. 7

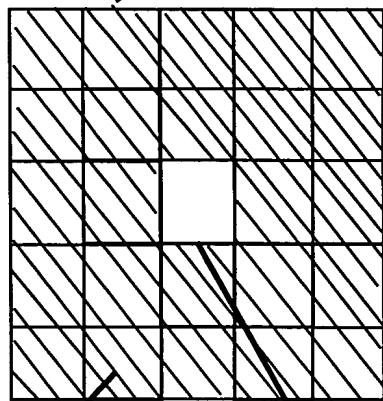


(PEDESTAL MODIFIER 60)

FIG. 8

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FIG. 9

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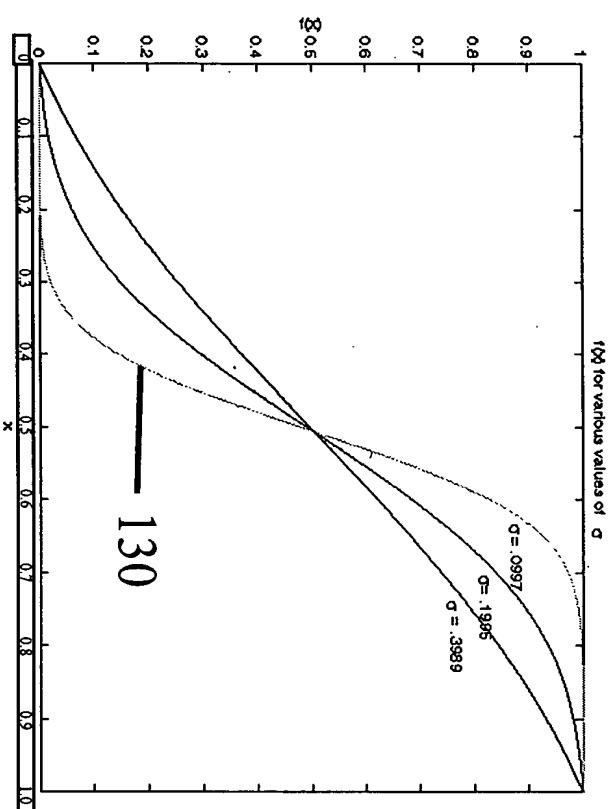


FIG. 10

FIG. 11

(texture modifier 70)

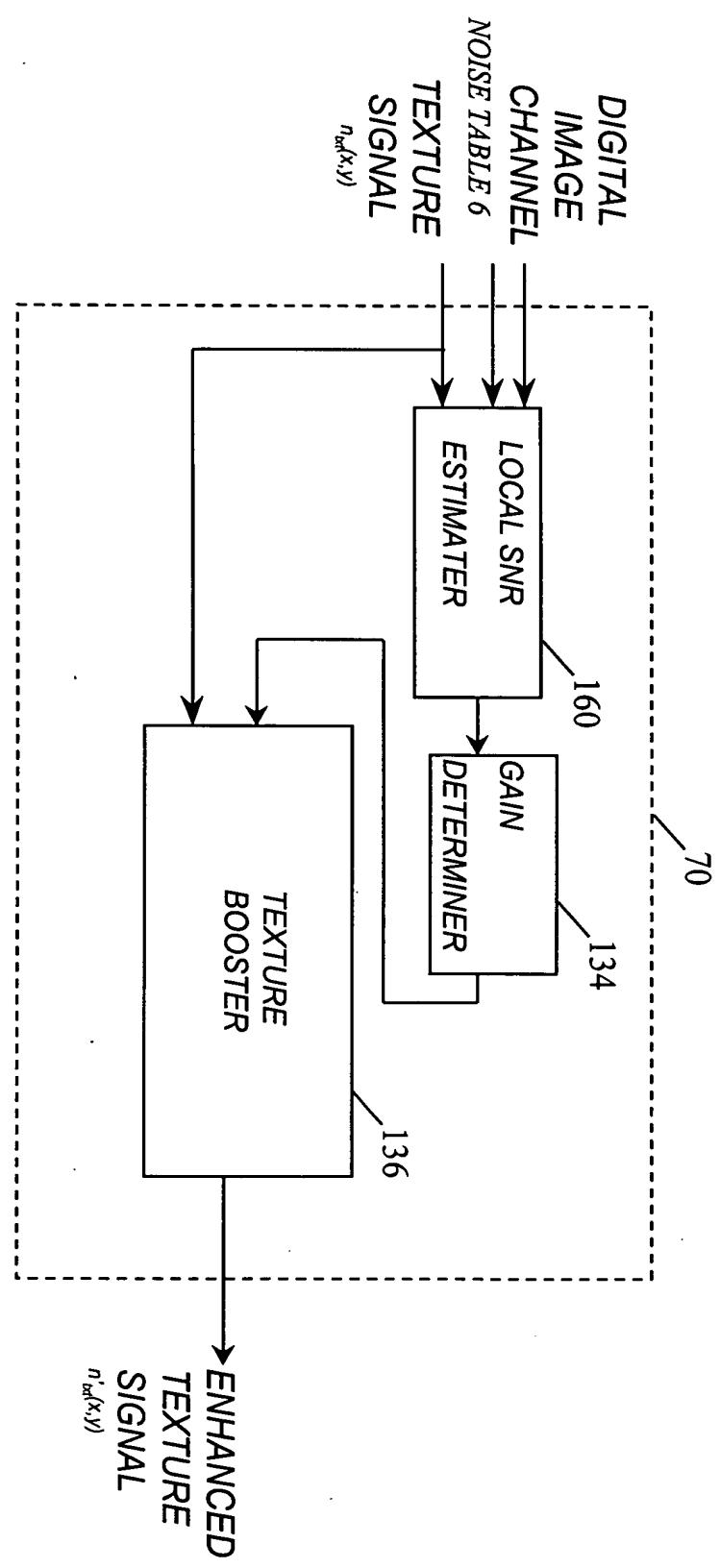
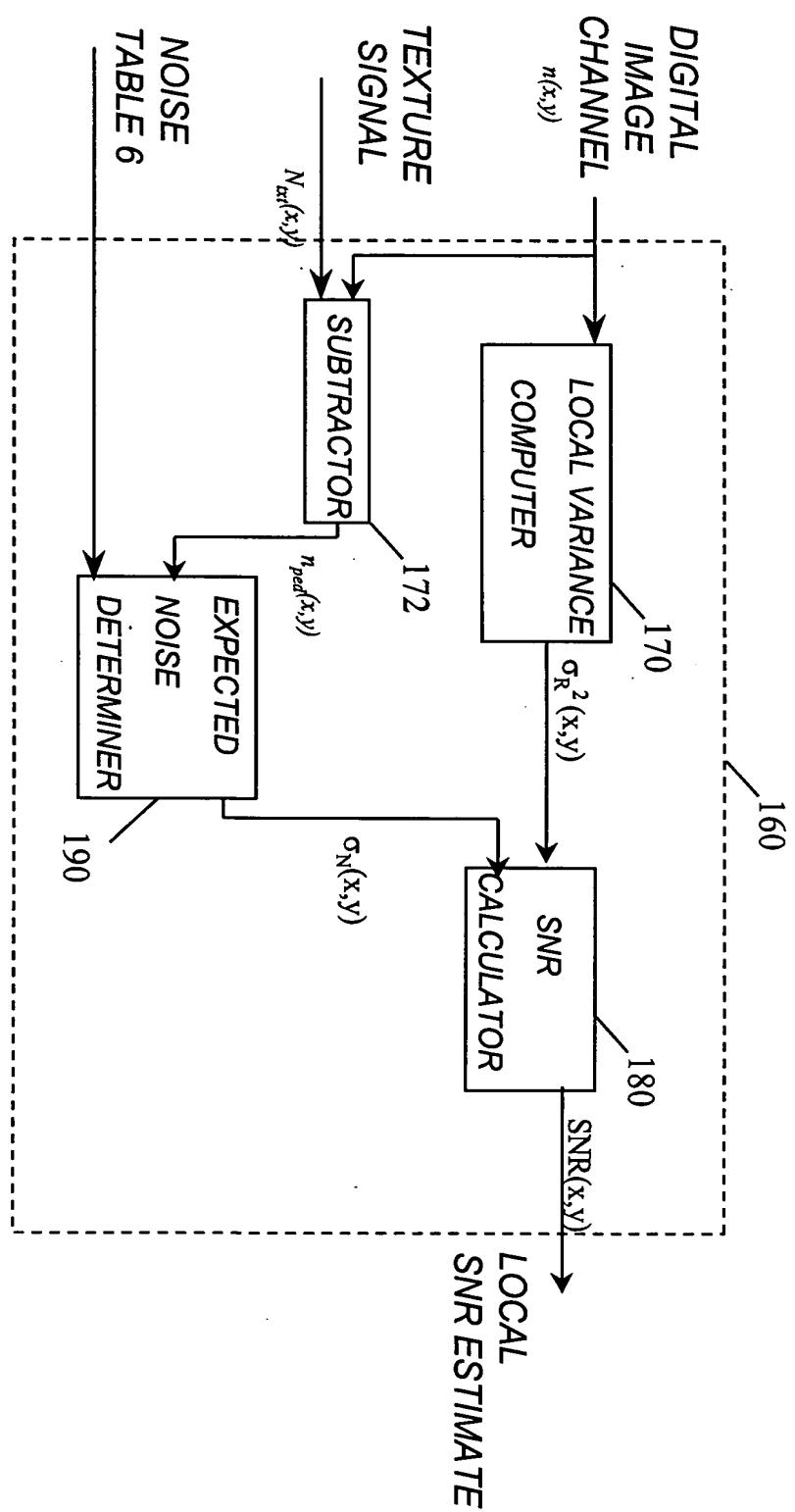


FIG. 12

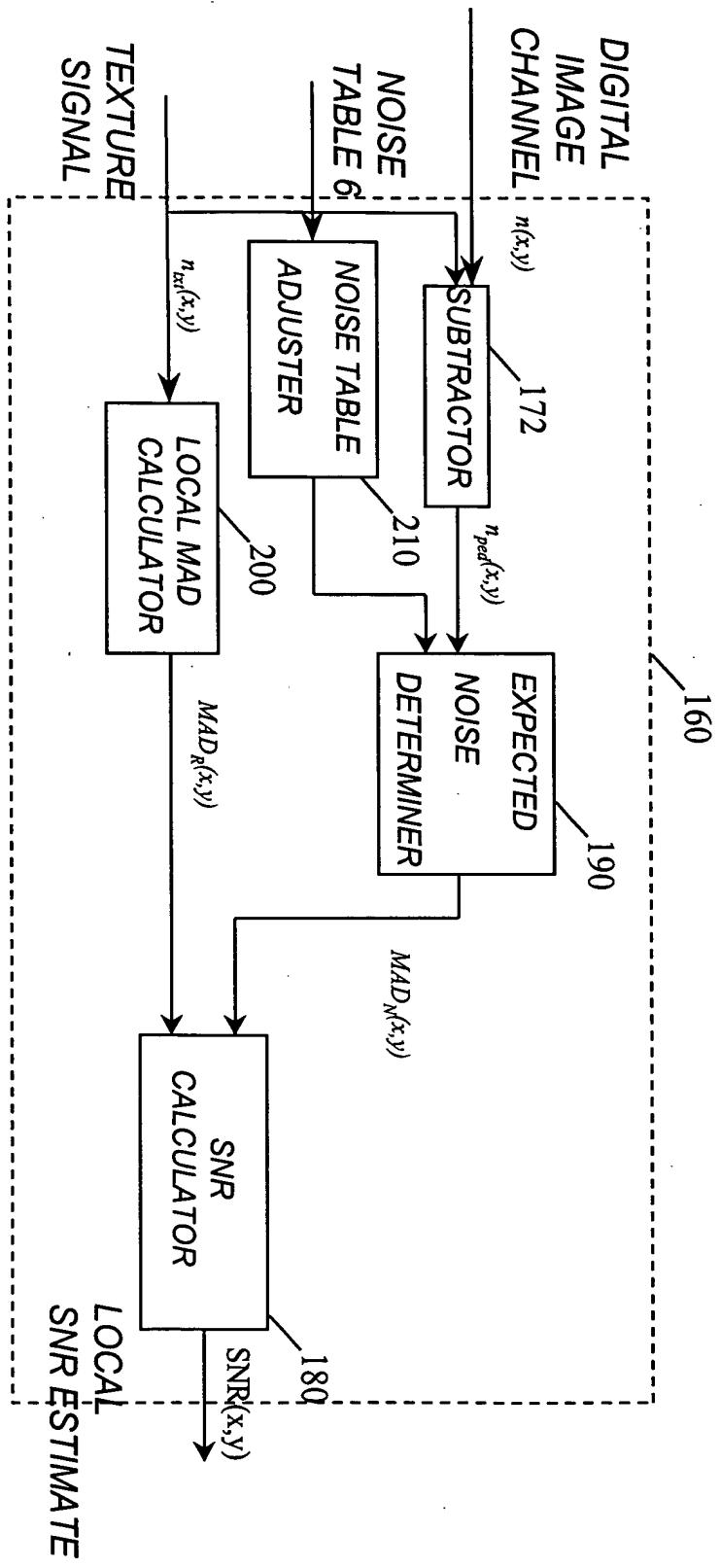
(LOCAL SNR ESTIMATOR 115)



160 172 190 200 210 180

(ALTERNATIVE EMBODIMENT OF LOCAL SNR ESTIMATOR 160)

FIG. 13



Typical Signal Dependent Noise Table for Scanned Film

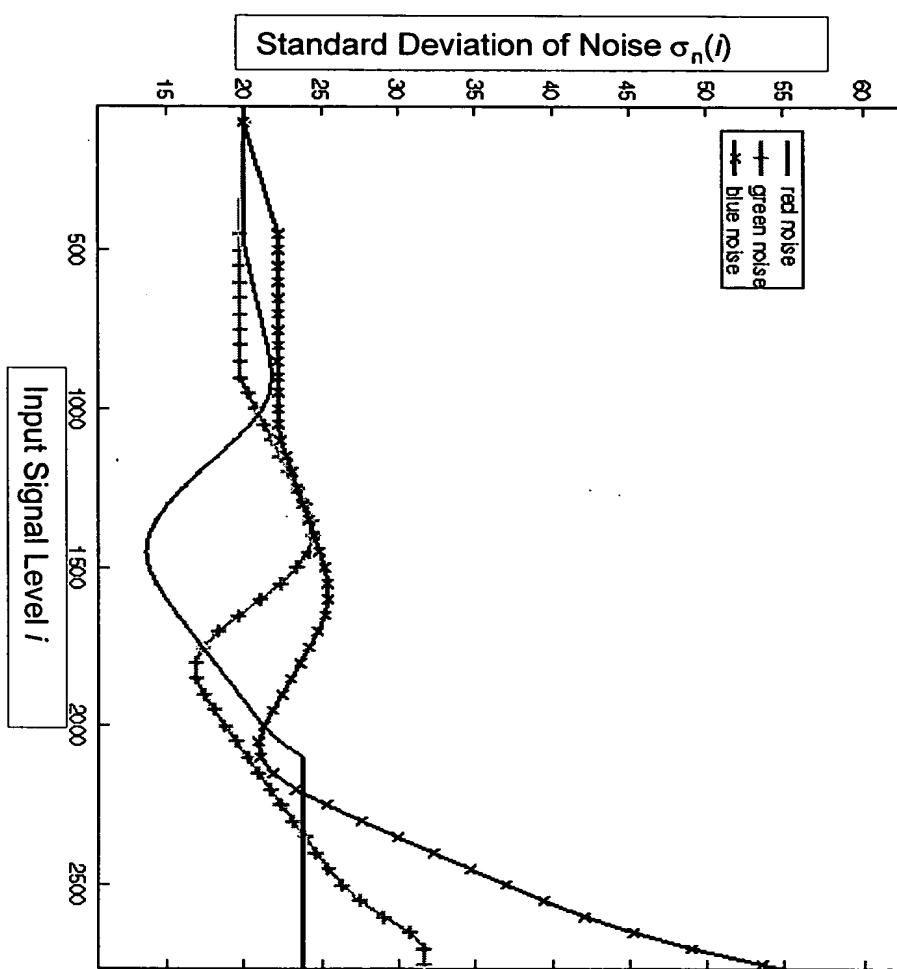


Fig. 14

Conversion function in Gain determiner 134

FIG. 15

